#### TO-DAY'S NEWS IN BRIEF.

LOCAL AND SUBURBAN. Christopher O'Niel, whose son disappeared from home several days ago, has received word that the boy is near Ottowa, Ill. Father Fahilg celebrated his first mass resterday at the St. Nicholas Church.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine J. Frost will take place to-day. The funeral of Henry Donk, Jr., was held at his residence, No. 5402 Cabanne place. The body was incinerated.

The funeral of Eugene Hass took place

from the family residence. The body was interred at Bellefontaine Cemetery. The congregation of the Italian Church, at ninteenth and Morgan streets, are making preparations for a memorial for King Hum-

A secret society called the Kissing Society bas come to light in St. Clair County, Illinets, midway between East St. Louis and

Two boys of North St. Louis had a narrow escape from death and a tragedy was only prevented by the quick action of F. D. F. Murphy of No. 1229 North Ninth street. The body of Mrs. Minnie Strathman, missing since May 9, was found in a shed on Chouteau avenue.

Additional transfers of patrolmen were ordered yesterday and by now nearly all the districts have been affected by the shake-

The Grocers' Association pienic at Pair Grounds was an unqualified success. It is estimated there were fully 50,000 people pres-

GENERAL DOMESTIC.

Colonel John L. Martin of St. Louis ar-rived in Lincoln, Neb. He will escort Mr. Bryan to Indianapolis. The party leaves Lincoln to-day. Governor Grosvenor of Ohio arrives in

London and gives out predictions on the result of the November election, claiming that McKinley is already assured of a reater electoral vote than he received in

at Omaha fell through a steel chute sixty feet long, and landed on a man's shoulders, dislocating his neck. Lend ore advanced \$3.50 per ton the last vanced in top price, but a larger quantity

President McKinley has approved the procember of the centennial of the establishment of the seat of Government in the Dis

trict of Columbia In a battle with moonshiners in the Indian Territory one officer was wounded and another is missing.

Court has ruled against claimants to valuable estate in Argentine, Kas. The Virginia Lake has arrived in port and reports that the Peary relief steamer is pro-

ceeding on its journey north. A Union Pacific train was held up by two men near Hugo, Cole. The conductor was compelled to awaken the passengers one by one and the robbers then forced them to give up their money and valuables. One man resisted and was killed. The conductor's watch was returned so that he might

A New York man is the first to wear a shirt waist in Chicago. He appeared in the new fad at a ball at a fashionable hotel Saturday evening, and created a profound

The Chief of Police of Kansas City has stirred up a hornets' nest by his announce-ment that he will allow poker games to be run in the city on payment of revenue in the shape of fines.

FOREIGN. Paris cab drivers are on a strike. They

demand that they be allowed to rent vehicles at cheaper rates. The Russians, 10,000 strong, and the Jap-nnese, numbering 20,000, are reported leading

The allies are stated to be encountering serious resistance in the march toward Pekin. The Chinese also are said to be threatening their communications, A force of 3,000 Chinese is reported south of Tien-

It is said that the British and American troops did not move forward with the other international forces. Chaffee has been greatly delayed by difficulties encountered in landing his forces at Taku. Horses, mer and supplies have to be transported four-teen miles on lighters.

A dispatch from Paris says that an imperial edict, issued from Pekin, announces that the Ministers will be escorted to Ticn-Tain by a strong force, commanded by General Yung Lu, whenever they decide to go. Also, they will be permitted to communicate freely with their home Governments. It is now said that Li Hung Chang, though very despondent, has not committed sul-

The first overt act against foreigners at Shanghai has occurred. Three Chinese sol-diers, in disguise, attempted to assassinate an English resident.

SPORTING.

St. Louis pounded Pitcher Mercer all over the lot, and won easily. Pugilistic news about the big mills that are to be decided in New York this

Marine Intelligence. New York, Aug. 5 .- Arrived: Steamer Aller, Genoa, Naples and Gibraltar, New York, Aug. 5.—Arrived: Steamer Deutschland, Hamburg. Queenstown, Aug. 5.-Sailed: Etruria, New

## CHINAMAN ARRESTED.

Ex-Federal Soldier Charged With Cattle-Rustling in Nebraska. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Valentine, Neb., Aug. 5 .- With the arrest of E. D. Chota, a Cherry County Chinaman, for cattle rustling was developed an Interesting story of one of the prominent

Interesting story of one of the prominent stockmen of Nebraska.

Mr. Chota is wealthy and a native Chinaman. His father and uncle occupied high positions under the Empress, and through them he obtained a thorough English education. When the Civil War broke out, young Chota became interested, and upon reading "Uncle Tom's Cabin" his sympathies were enlisted wholly with the North. The adventurous Chinaman came to America and enlisted with the Union soldiers. Throughout the Civil War he served with distinction.

After the war, owing to his soldierly qualities, he remained in the service and re-enlisted, serving until he was retired at the and of thirty years on haif pay. His papers show he was commended on several oc-casions for gallantry. He is a member of the G. A. R. and a Mason.

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He persists that he is not guilty of the crime charged against him and says he will make it warm for fellow-stockmen who are responsible for his arrest.

Speaking of China, he said: "The missionaries are to blame for the trouble in China, and they are the forerunners of conquest in the name of God. As long as the great Powers use the missionaries for the conquest of a Kingdom Christianity will find no welcome on the Oriental shores."

## TALMAGE IN BERLIN.

Preached in the American Church -Russia Discussed. Berlin, Aug. 5.-The Reverend Doctor T

De Witt Taimage, who arrived in Berlin yesterday with his family from St. Petersburg, preached in the American Church to

burg, preached in the American Church today on "Encouragement to Christian Workers." findling his text in the first book of
Samuel, chapter xxx, verse 24.

To the correspondent of the Associated
Press Doctor Talmage said this afternoon:
"While in St. Petersburg I was invited
to dine with Emperor Nicolas, who is in
excellent health, and gives one the impression of being physically strong. He seemed
to be much interested in American politics,
and inquired regarding the prospects of the
presidential election. He is extremely well
informed as to American affairs generally.
"The Czar talked freely about the China
question, and said he expected that all
would pass off without long difficulties."
Doctor Talmage, who was favorably impressed with the development of the Russian people, remarked:
"I found as much religious liberty in Russia as there is in New York or Washington."

More Rain in Texas.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL. Dallas, Tex., Aug. 5.—Heavy rains are reported to-night in the Brazos and Colorado valleys. They will not help cotton, but, on the contrary, fears are felt that worms will be seriously developed.



## Our Annual August Sale

Begins To-Day, Monday.

An Exceptional Opportunity-in Every Department-to Buy Reliable Dry Goods, in Some Instances at Less Than the Value of the Material They Are Composed Of.

#### Silks.

Our Richest Imported Goods, as well as the more practical styles, are offered in this sale.

FANCY SILKS-25 different | Imported Novelties in Panne Imstyles, including Chene Stripes, prime, Taffetas Mousseline Im-Canelle effects, Damas and Fig. prime, Taffetas Brode, Taffetas ured Foulards,

All at 50c. Previous to this Sale were 75c, 85c

40 different designs, comprising Plaids, Stripes and Warp Print effects in Taffetas, Satin Damas and Figured Foulards.

75c per yard. Previous to this Sale were \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00.

Embroidered in escurial designs At \$1.25 per yard.

\$4.00 and \$5.00. Colored Silks. 150 lengths Colored Taffetas, 10 vards and under, suitable for

Previous to this Sale were \$3.00

price of 50c per yard. Previous to this Sale were S5c.

#### Black Silks.

Owing to the general usefulness of Black Silks, the values offered now a.e very interesting.

Taffetas, 21 inch, strong and dur-| Black Satin Duchesse and Peau 65c per yard.

Taffetas Metalique, one of the fabrics for the coming season, 95c per yard. Satin Cyrano, rich in appearance,

very suitable for dress skirts or waists,

95c per yard.

At \$1.00 per yard. Previous to this Sale were \$1.25. At \$1.25 per yard. Previous to this Sale were \$1.75.

At \$2.00 per yard. Previous to this Sale were \$2.50. Fancy Black Silks and Grena-

dines at still greater reductions.

## Colored and Fancy Dress Goods.

The season is approaching for utilizing short lengths as well as full patterns. In our sale of Dress Goods we have about 350 lengths of 7 yards and less that are marked at one-third  $\binom{1}{3}$  and one-half  $\binom{1}{2}$  the regular prices. Many of them are reserved styles and only one of a color.

#### Materials by the Yard.

36-inch Fancy Wool Suiting, suit- | 46-inch French Covert Cloth, in able for autumn wear, 20c per yard.

Formerly were 35c. 32-inch Satin Stripe Challies, elaborate printings on variedcolor grounds

> At 50c per yard. Instead of 85c.

46-inch All-Wool Jacquard Nov-

elty Suiting, green only, At \$1.00 per yard. Instead of \$1.75.

complete assortment of autumn colorings, At \$1.25 per yard.

Previous to this Sale was \$2.00. 48-inch All-Wool Tailoring Checks and Stripes,

Previous to this Sale was \$2.25. 50 Novelty Suit Patterns, in ex-

At \$1.50.

clusive colorings, At 1/2 Former Prices.

### Millinery.

The head of this department is now in Paris, making selections for Autumn and Fall. Before their arrival we are disposing of this season's stock at great reductions.

All Our Navy Blue Split Straw and Rough and Ready Sailor Hats......At 25c each 50 Trimmed Walking Hats.......25c each

Were \$2.50 and \$3.50 each. 30 Handsomely Trimmed Dressy Hats......\$1.00 each Some of them were \$4.00 and \$6.00 each.

Models, suitable for Carriage and Garden Parties....\$5.00 each

35 Elaborately Trimmed and Very Stylish Hats, some of them

## Men's Furnishings.

Instead of \$15.00, \$20.00 and \$25.00.

Negligee Shirts.

Men's and Boys' Fancy Madras Negligee Shirts, this season's goods, 75c Each.

Previous to this Sale were \$1.00.

Men's Madras Negligee Shirts, this season's goods, \$1.00 and \$1.50 Each.

Previous to this Sale were \$1.50 and

Neckwear.

In a variety of Fancy Madras String Ties, Bat Wings, Shield Bows, Four-in-Hands, White Pique Ascots, Puffs and Flats, 5c Each.

Previous to this Sale were 25c and Fancy Silk Bat Wings, Band and

Shield Bows, in a variety of this season's styles, 10c Each.

say, does not descend upon them, and so

they cannot become invulnerable. In fact,

not far from the Christian establishment of

Tchu-Kin-Ho (King Tcheou), three of those

who had been initiated, volunteered, after

their incantations, to be fired at. The first

of them was instantly killed, while the two

Previous to this Sale were 50c.

#### Suits.

It is our desire in Suits and Outer Garments for women to dispose of all styles in the season for which they were selected. We have therefore made present prices to secure the prompt sale of existing stock.

Tailor-Made—New Goods

Tan and Grav Homespun, Light and Dark Scotch Tweeds, Cream Cheviot, Eton or Coat effectmany of these garments are made over silk.

\$12.50 each. Previous to this Sale were \$20,00. waists and skirts, at a uniform Tailor-Made Walking

> Of Fancy Plaid Back Materials, five color effects, new Eton style, \$15.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$22.50.

Suits.

Cream Serge, Eton Style, coat lined with taffetas silk, skirt lined with percaline,

\$12.50. Previous to this Sale were \$20.00.

Gowns. Summer Silk in assorted fancy checks, lined throughout with silk,

\$15.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$50.00 Tailor-Made, of plain material and \$60.00. Plain and Fancy Cloth, Wool

lined throughout with silk, \$35.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$75.00, \$95.00 and \$100.00.

Poplins and Silk Mull Costumes,

Plain and Fancy Etamine, Novelty Grenadine Silk and Wool Poplin Dresses, made over special grade taffetas silk,

\$50.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$100.00, \$110.00 and \$120.00. Novelty Silk, Black Taffetas Ap-

plique on Brussels Net and Chantilly Lace Gowns made over silk, \$75.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$150.00

and \$175,00. Figured Foulard Silk

Gowns. This season's most desirable styles, handsomely trimmed with lace and velvet ribbon,

\$30, \$45, \$65. Previous to this Sale were \$50.00. \$60.00, \$75.00, \$90.00.

Of Figured Dimity, Plain and Fancy Organdy, \$18.50, \$25, \$30, \$35. Previous to this Sale were \$28.50,

#### \$35.00, \$50.00. Wash Dresses.

Tailor-made, this season's best styles, plain linen, natural color, Eton effects,

\$7.50 each. Previous to this Sale were \$10.00. Plain Gray and Tan Pique, Blue, Gray and White Canvas, hand-

Eton and Shirt Waist effects. \$13.50 each. Previous to this Sale were \$17.50 and \$20.00.

somely trimmed with White,

Plain White and Blue Canvas and Natural Color Linen, Blouse Effects, also Eton Style with Bishop Sleeves,

\$17.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$27.50.

#### Gloves.

A special grade three-clasp White Chamois Gloves, sizes 5 1-2 to 7.

50c Per Pair. Previous to this Sale were 75c.

Capes.

Suitable for Autumn, in a variety of choice styles, including Parisian novelties, such as Black Jetted Grenadine trimmed with handsome lace and chiffon,

\$10.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$35.00 and \$40.00.

Plain Velvet, Novelty Silk and Peau de Soie, trimmed with fine lace and black and colored se

\$15.00 each. Previous to this Sale were \$40.00, \$50.00, \$75.00 and \$100.00,

Jackets. Peau de Soie Tucked and elaborately trimmed in jet and chiffon, Eton and blouse effects,

\$15.00 and \$20.00. Previous to this Sale were \$40.00, \$60.00 and \$100.00.

Walking Skirts.

with fancy plaid back, five color \$7.50.

Previous to this Sale were \$10.00, \$12.00. Separate Dress Skirts. Cream Serge and Alpaca Skirts,

all sizes, this season's goods, \$7.00. Previous to this Sale were \$12.50

and \$14.00. Natural Blue and White Linen, Canvas Cloth and Pique,

\$2, \$4, \$5, \$7.50.

Previous to this Sale were \$5.00, \$8.50, \$10.00. Dressing Sacques.

Of White and Colored Lawn, slightly mussed, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.00. Previous to this Sale were \$3.50,

\$5.00, \$6.00. Wrappers.

White and Colored Lawn, slightly mussed. \$1.25 and \$2.50. Previous to this Sale were \$2.50,

#### Cotton Shirt Waists.

35 dozen Fancy Madras, Percale and Fancy Lawn Shirt Waists, also Plain White Lawn Waists with shirred fronts,

35c each. Previous to this Sale were \$1.00, \$1.25.

and Gingham Waists, in varied assortment of select styles, \$1.00 each.

15 dozen Fancy Lawn, Madras

Previous to this Sale were \$2.00, \$2.50. 35 dozen Imported Novelty Stripe Madras Waists in one

hundred distinct colorings, \$1.25 each. Previous to this Sale were \$3.50. 25 dozen White Lawn Shirt

Waists, elaborately tucked and trimmed with embroidery, 50c each.

Previous to this Sale were \$1.25. All of our finer Waists, Lace and Embroidery trimmed, during this sale at greatly reduced

#### Bric-a-Brac and Art Goods.

To complete the reorganization of this floor we have made prices on all small lots and broken assortments of Bric-a-Brac, Art Goods and Stamped Linen that will dispose of them promptly. Note Reductions:

#### Curtains.

At 50c and 75c per pair. Previous to this Sale were 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25.

500 odd pairs of Nottingham, Irish Point and other Lace Curtains-one, two and three pair

At \$4, \$5, \$7.50 per pair. Previous to this Sale were \$5.00, \$6.50, \$13.00.

## Tapestry Portieres.

At \$2.95, \$3.95, \$5.95 per pair. Previous to this Sale were \$5.00, \$8.00, \$8.50.

Were \$4.50. \$5.00, \$6.00, \$7.50. Tapestries by the yard, 25c, 35c, 65c, \$1.00. Previous to this Sale were 45c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.35.

Japanese Fire Screens. 65c and 85c each.

Previous to this Sale were \$1.00 and \$1.25. Art Department.

varied decorations,

15c, 20c, 50c, 65c. Were 25c, 30c, 50c, \$1.00. Wedgewood, Austrian and Rad-

ford Jasper Plates, etc.-artistic

Japanese and Li Mogue Plates,

decorations. \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3. Previous to this Sale were \$2.00, \$2.75, \$3.50, \$4.50.

Copper and Brass Tea Kettles, Mahogany Desks ... \$20.00 each \$1.50, \$2, \$3.50, \$6 each. Previous to this Sale were \$2.50,

\$2.95, \$5.00, \$8.00. Nickel Chafing Dishes, \$2, \$2.50, \$9 each. Previous to this Sale were \$3.50, \$3.75, \$13.50.

## Stamped Linen.

Center Pieces ...5c, 20c, 25c, 75c Were 10c, 25c, 35c, \$1.00. Applique Scarfs . 75c, \$1.15, \$1.25

Were \$1.85, \$1.75, \$2.50. Applique Covers .50c, 75c, \$1.25 Previous to this Sale were \$1.50, \$1.85, \$2.50.

Japanese Silk Squares.....95c Previous to this Sale were \$3.50.

## Lace Dept.

Black Lace Tunics. \$7.50, \$10, \$13.50, \$16.50. Were \$12.50, \$16.50, \$21.00, \$25.00.

Were \$12.50, \$25.00.

#### Colored Chenille Skirts. . \$12.50 Previous to this Sale were \$20.00.

Ladies' Neckwear. Plain Pique and Madras Washable stocks......25c Were \$1.00.

Col'd Liberty Silk Robes. . \$15.00

Previous to this Sale were \$25.00.

Fancy Lawn Collars 10c, 25c, 30c Were 25c, 50c, \$1.50.

Baskets. 100 pairs of Ruffled Muslin Cur- Scrap, Fancy and Stand Baskets,

15c, 25c, \$1, \$1.50 each.

Were 25c, 50c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.75.

#### Radford Jasper Ware.

Cream Pitchers, Sugar Bowls, Powder Boxes, Comb and Brush Trays, etc., Wedgewood Color-

ings and Cameo Decorations, 75c, \$1. \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2 each. Were \$1.25, \$1.85, \$2.25, \$3.00, \$3.50,

Japanese Cream Pitchers, 25c, 35c, 50c, \$1. Were 50c, 95c, \$1.25.

#### Art Needlework. Single Portieres ... \$1.50 each | Made-up Sofa Pillows, in assort-

ed Fancy Cretonnes, Denims, Oriental Canvas and Tapestry, 35c, 50c, 75c, 95c, \$2 each. Were 48c, 65c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$2.95.

Lace.

D'Oylies, size 8x7 inches, 3c, 15c, 20c, 25c each. Were 5c, 20c, 25c, 35c.

Center Pieces, 22x22 inches,

\$1, \$1.75, \$2.75 each. Were \$1.50, \$2.25, \$3.25. Cloths, 27x44 inches... \$4, \$5, \$6

Were \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50.

Bed Spreads .. \$50 and \$75 each Were \$75.00, \$95.00.

Furniture.

Mahogany Tables ... \$10.00 each Were \$12.50, \$15.00.

Algerian Carved Pedestals, Tabourettes and Tables, \$12 and \$22.50 each.

Were \$22.50, \$27.50.

Mahogany Cabinet \_\_\_\_\_ \$45.00 Instead of \$85.00.

Vernis Martin Cabinet, \$75 each. Instead of \$125.00.

## Wash Goods.

Basement. 350 pieces Dimity, Batiste and Lawn, in large and varied assortment of select printings, on light

and dark grounds, 5: per yard. Previous to this Sale were 12 1-2c

and 15c. 125 pieces Real Irish Dimity (Mc-Bride's best goods), silk styles, complete assortment of stripes and figures, on light, medium

Previous to this Sale were 25c.

### Ribbens.

25c per yard,

25c Each,

Instead of \$1.25.

450 pieces of All-Silk Taffetas and Satins, colors assorted,

Instead of 50c. The remainder of our Pulley Belts-Colors only,

#### certain incantations," writes Father Mar-FATHER MARQUET quet, "they become invulnerable as soon as the spirit to which they surrendered themselves has taken possession of them ON THE BOXERS. But whenever a Christian is present or wherever a church stands, the spirit, they

Interesting Letter Describing the Outrages Inflicted on Christian Missionaries.

Chinese Authorities at First Tried to Protect the Priests-Christians Defended Them-

New York, Aug. 5.-In a letter from the Reverend Father Marquet, the superior of the Roman Catholic missionaries in the Province of Chi-Li, China, just received here, he says that at the beginning of the Boxer outbreak the Chinese authorities sought to protect the Christians. He tells

how the native Christians fought against

"The Boxers say that, by the help of

the Boxers and defeated them;

selves Bravely.

others were mortally wounded. Boxers Blamed Christians. "It was market day, and the Boxers, afraid of losing their prestige before the people, proclaimed loudly that this was the fault of the Christians. They spread the news that neophytes had killed one of their ONE VICTIM ROASTED ALIVE. adherents and wounded the others, and de-clared their intention of getting rid of the Christians, sacking their houses and burning their churches."

Of the beginning of actual trouble, Father Marquet writes:
"With the exception of three communities,

which, foreseeing what was about to hap-pen, had armed themselves, and two others, which were protected by pagan village chiefs, every Christian establishment at King Tcheou was sacked. At Leou-Pa, Tchoang, a Christian who wanted to save his house, was stabbed; then an inflammatory fluid was poured over his body and set on fire while he was still breathing. A few days later it was the turn of the Christian establishments of Pou-Tcheng, Keao-Ho and Tong-Koang. The district of Father And-lauer, the real hotbed of the Boxers, suffered most. Christians Brave.

"First of all, the Christians vere asked

to apostatize, but, so far as is known, did so, and every Christian commu nity, with the exception of that of Fu-Kia-Tchang, whose members had taken might, was devastated. "A part of the new Christian establishments was subsequently destroyed. Father Keitzler was compelled to retire to Ou-"The Boxers crossed the Imperial Canal,

invaded his district, and effected a junction

surprised, the courageous Christians de-fended themselves valiantly till all their

with the Boxers of Cham-Tong.

ammunition was gone; then, when there was no more powder left, they hurled bricks from the rooftop on the heads of "From Chenn-Tscheon the Reverend Father Wilbur writes that already twentyone establishments have been plundered, and that he himself was in great danger. "The southern district enjoyed a relative tranquillity. The sacking of some house belonging to Christian Neophytes by the sect of the 'great daggers' was atoned for. Some heads were cut off and an indemnity of 300 or 400 francs was given to the ag-

grieved families.

applied for assistance to the French Consul at Tien-Tsin, and through him to the Viceroy of Chi-Li, and requested that a sufficient force of soldiers be sent to oppose the progress of the rioters, who became more numerous and more desperate Prepared for Comflict. "Meanwhile, we wiped away the dust from our cannon and rifles of 1860, and after putting them in repair we trained the can-non on our walls and handed the rifles to our brave Christian volunteers who have

two days we had 200 men, some armed with

"So as to neglect no human means we

## **\$BANKS OF MANILA** FORM A COMBINE.

Manila, Aug. 5.-The only three banks in Manila have formed a ring to reduce arbitrarily and without justification the rate of exchange for American gold. This has caused widespread indignation and many difficulties for commerce and minor business. The banks, however, are obdurate.

rifles others with swords while the rest

had spears, knives, axes, iron bars, etc.
"The Boxers, numbering 800, were desir-

ous, first of all, to carry the village of Ton-

Tai-Kon, not far distant from our resi-dence, and hastened to storm the houses of the Christians who had taken up arms. Intrepid, though few in number, the Christrepla, thought few in number, the chirs-tians waited for the Boxers, and from the roofs of their houses spread death and havoc in the ranks of the enemy. "The Boxers fled, but soon railied at the sound of their tom-tom in a neighboring village, and again were getting ready to storm the village when trumpets were heard. which had the effect of throwing them into disorder and made them take flight permanently. The approaching force was a troop placed themselves at our disposal. Within of cavalry of the regular army, which Father Becker, in a most pressing letter, had

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should have your eyes examined. EGGERT & FISHER, OPTICIANS, 317 N. Seventh St., Near Locust.

requested the Mandarin to dispatch to his help. The cavalrymen came in great haste, and though they reached the scene of action too late to take part in the victory, they at least scattered the enemy. Communities Devastated. "All together forty-five Christian communities were devastated, in which no religious service of any kind can be held. Should the soldiers which were sent to our help be recalled by events occurring on the seacoasts or at Tien-Tsin, we would again be at the mercy of these countless hordes who cherish in their hearts an implacable hatred of Europeans and the Christian religion."

VERY LOW RATES. To St. Paul, Minneapolis and Duluth, Via the BURLINGTON ROUTE, On sale Aug. 8th and 15th. Final limit Sept. 30th. Details at ticket office, S. W. corner Broadway and Olive st.

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United States. REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Aug. 5 .- (Copyright, 1900, by the New York Managua, Nicaragua, telegraphs that President Zelaya desires to deal directly with Herald Company.)-Our correspondent at the United States for the construction of the interoceanic canal.

Panama, Colombia, via Calveston, Tex.,

Negotiations looking to an agreement be-tween the two countries would be under-taken by the President, provided there was an abrogation of all the present concessions relating to the canal by mutual agreement between the parties interested.

White and Colored Applique Robes.... \$7.50 and \$15.00 each and dark grounds, Black Lace Robes ... \$10.00 each Previous to this Sale were \$25.00. 15c per yard,